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NPIC/PEG (2/83)Copy 27**SOVIET SWEEP OPERATION**
AYBAK AREA, AFGHANISTAN

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1. (SWN) SIGNIFICANCE: A SOVIET SWEEP OPERATION IS IN PROGRESS AROUND THE VILLAGE OF GADI.
2. (SWN) REMARKS: ELEMENTS OF THE SPECIAL-PURPOSE FORCES UNIT FROM AYBAK SOVIET BIVOUAC [REDACTED] HAVE ENCIRCLED THE VILLAGE OF GADI, APPROXIMATELY TWO NM NORTH OF THE BIVOUAC AREA. THREE PROBABLE TANKS AND 11 BMP ARMORED PERSONNEL CARRIERS (APC) HAVE SURROUNDED THE VILLAGE. ELEVEN BMP, EIGHT CARGO TRUCKS, AND FIVE OTHER VEHICLES ARE ON THE ROAD SOUTHWEST OF THE VILLAGE (ALL NOT ON GRAPHIC). A BATTERY OF FOUR 122MM D-30 HOWITZERS, DEPLOYED ADJACENT TO THE BIVOUAC AREA, ARE PROVIDING ARTILLERY SUPPORT TO THE OPERATION.
3. BE N/A, COORDINATES N/A

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